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RE: STB Docket No. AB-6 (Sub-No. 445X); BNSF Railway Abandonment near Great Falls,
in Cascade County, Montana

Dear Jake,

We are unclear as to what the current status of this undertaking is. We understand that some of the property has been sold and thus the Advisory Council's role under section 106 has been foreclosed upon. We think you need to contact the local preservation office in Great Falls in an attempt to get this back on track (no pun intended). The Preservation Officer in Great Falls is Ellen Sievert and her phone number is (406) 455-8435. What are your ideas on how we got to the point where we are discussing mitigation after part of the rail line has new owners.

If you have any questions or concerns about what I have written above, you can contact me at (406) 444-0388, or email at jwarhank@mt.gov.

Sincerely,


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Review & Compliance Officer

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